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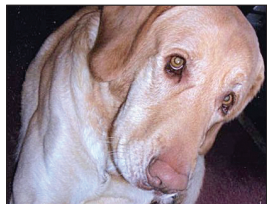
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Gelert couple looking for owner of lost dog

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Sandra Edmunds takes the big prize for her chili

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## Having a ball

The Dorset Snowball isn't just for the young, but the young at heart, as adults also took turns sliding at the annual event held on Saturday, Feb. 18. More on page 4. Darren Lum Staff

# Reeve, Teljeur duel over concert proposal

Chad Ingram  
Staff reporter

Temperatures have reached a boiling point over John Teljeur's proposed Minden International Concert for Water.

As reported in the *Times* last week, Teljeur has criticized Minden Hills council's decision to follow the advice of its legal counsel and offer no more than a one-year contract for the use of the Minden fairgrounds for what Teljeur said would become a huge, annual music festival.

The promotion company Teljeur has been working with - Wolfgang Siebert's Earth Productions - has said it would require a multi-year contract to proceed with the event.

Since council's decision, Teljeur has been lobbying the public to support his event through his blog.

Updating it regularly, Teljeur has included his projections for the event's economic impact on Minden, as well as addressing criticisms regarding a 2004 Meaford event organized by Siebert called the Great Lakes Jam.

That event drew tens of thousands of people to see rock acts such as Alice Cooper, but drew backlash from some residents who didn't care for having the event take place in their community.

An agreement for up to four years between Siebert and the municipality was terminated by the local council, leading to a battle between Siebert and the municipality.

"So faced with a mayor that backed out of a legitimate agreement, millions of dollars in investments, reputations

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Amelia Edmunds, left, embraces her mother, Sandra, who was this year's Chili Cook Off winner during Winterfest Minden at the community centre on Sunday, Feb. 20. Edmunds beat out competitors Riverside Pub/Restaurant, second place, Molly's Bistro Bakery, who tied Ti Amo Italian Diner for third, and SIRCH, Canoe FM, and Rotary Club of Minden.



## Cook off!

Chili Cook Off contestants said it was one of the largest crowds they'd seen in years during the Winterfest Minden event held at the Minden Community Centre on Sunday, Feb. 19.

The winter event was a two-day affair that included hockey games, curling, ice racing and children's activities.

**Darren Lum**  
Staff

# Algonquin Highlands councillors approve year's expenses



Salaries, travel costs reported for 2011

**Chad Ingram**  
Staff reporter

Algonquin Highlands councillors accepted a report on their remuneration and expenses for 2011 at their Feb. 16 meeting.

Treasurer Tammy McKelvey presented the information to council, as required by the municipal act.

For 2011, Reeve Carol Moffatt was paid approximately \$24,560 and received about \$990 in mileage payments; Deputy-reeve Liz Danielsen was paid approximately \$19,700 and nearly \$2,900 in mileage.

Danielsen, who lives in Hastings, receives mileage beginning at the county office in Wilberforce.

Councillors Gord Henderson and Lisa Barry were each paid approximately \$16,500.

Barry accrued about \$1,100 in mileage costs, Henderson approximately \$2,500.

Former Ward 3 councillor Gary Schulz, who resigned last summer, received about \$9,600 in wages and \$1,100 in mileage.

His replacement, Councillor Marlene Kyle, was paid about \$690 for her time in 2011, with less than \$100 in mileage.

Councillors and staff for the township are receiving a three per cent pay increase in 2012.

Per diem and mileage payments for the township's four-member committee of adjustment totalled approximately \$5,000.

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# Winter carnival draws people from all over

**Darren Lum**  
Staff reporter

The 22nd annual Dorset Snowball Winter Carnival drew hundreds and offered a plethora of activities and events such as the

parade, woodworking and carving demonstrations, wildlife calling, mini snowmobile rides, horse-drawn wagon rides and musical entertainment junkyard symphony: junkyard jam. The annual event draws people from all over the area, including Muskoka, Toronto and Haliburton County.



Darren Lum Staff

Nine-year-old Meeda Berg was a proud Snow Queen of the Dorset Snowball, winning the honour with an essay on the event, riding in the parade.



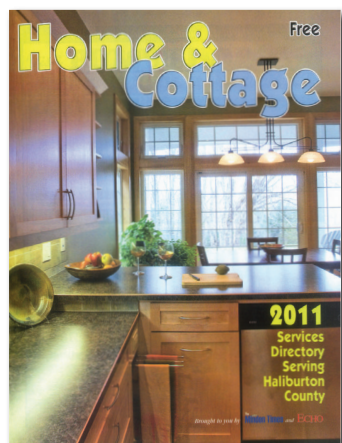
Scott Gilson, left, watches daughter, Jooniper Hill, 6, of Huntsville use a bullsaw, as MacGregor Parker of Portico Timber Frames, provides some advice to another young participant, sawing. Hundreds came to the annual event that included a parade, activities and the attendance of the entire Algonquin Highlands council and MP Tony Clement.



Stephen Morrin, wildlife caller, provided a variety of animal calls during the Dorset Snowball on Saturday, Feb. 18. The two-day event included skating, a parade, activities, food, wood carving, snow sculpture and an Algonquin Highlands fire department mock rescue.



The horse-drawn rides drew crowds of young and old to see Dorset at a slower pace.



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## Battling illegal building in Algonquin Highlands

**Chad Ingram**  
Staff reporter

Algonquin Highlands township is stiffening its penalty for illegal building.

At their Feb. 16 meeting, councillors heard from building/bylaw officer Mitch O'Grady, who requested the fine for illegal building be increased.

The penalty had been the greater of \$100 or 25 per cent of the building permit the resident should have purchased. It will now be \$200 or 25 per cent of the permit cost.

"It costs us money to always operate at a deficit for a department," O'Grady said. "Not that we want to make money, we just want to cover our administrative [costs]."

Caught cases of building without a permit have been on the rise in recent years.

In 2009 there were 25; 34 in 2011; and 36 in 2011.

There have been three in the township so far this year.

"And it's quite early," O'Grady said, adding he hoped the increase would have an impact. "I think it's going to send a message."



# Group wants pavilion on old school property

**Chad Ingram**  
Staff reporter

The Dorset Community Partnership Group would like to put a pavilion and space for parking on the old Dorset Public School property.

Group members Colin Reaney presented the idea to Algonquin Highlands councillors at their Feb. 16 meeting.

The pavilion – an open-air wooden structure built on a concrete pad – would be suitable for a number of events including arts performances. A parking lot and sports field were also included in a rough drawing for the property, which

has sat vacant since the former school was closed a decade ago.

While the property owner has extended a 10-year-lease on the property (which sits in Algonquin Highlands) to the group and while Lake of Bays Township has offered to take care of insurance, there has historically been a lack of communication between the municipal governments.

“There’s definitely some governance and jurisdictional issues,” said Reeve Carol Moffatt, adding she’d like to see her township and Lake of Bays create a stronger partnership.

Dorset sits partially in Algonquin Highlands and partially in Lake of Bays.

In March, Moffatt and Algonquin High-

lands staff members plan to meet with Lake of Bays Mayor Bob Young and some of his staffers.

“We can’t help you move forward if we’re not talking to the right people on the other side,” Moffatt told Reaney.

Reaney said his group has approval in principle from the landowner for the project, which has also been cleared with an adjacent landowner.

He said events were already being planned for the site.

As she has in the past, Moffatt expressed concern about what might happen to any structures on the property after the 10-year-lease expires.

Reaney said in terms of the pavilion, its

wooden components would be able to be removed and reassembled, leaving behind just the concrete pad.

He reiterated that the owner wants the property to serve as a public space.

“He wants this to be a property for the community of Dorset,” Reaney said.

The group, which is seeking charitable status, has a number of planning and beautification projects underway for the community.

It is also looking at acquiring a nurse practitioner for Dorset, something Deputy-reeve Liz Danielsen suggested the group should collaborate with the county’s medical professional recruitment team on.

## Deadline for old postal codes has passed

**Chad Ingram**  
Staff reporter

Mail is no longer being delivered to old postal codes in Algonquin Highlands.

The deadline for delivery to the old RR#1 and RR#2 codes that were replaced by codes KOM 1J1 and KOM 1J2 in August of 2010 was Feb. 16.

The transition to the new codes, which began in 2010, led to months of chagrin and delivery problems for a number of Algonquin Highlands residents, since some companies’ databases didn’t recognize the fact the new postal codes existed.

Paul MacInnes, president of the Maple, Beech and Cameron Lakes Area Property Owners’ Association, began to lobby Canada Post, urging it to see that their mailing databases were updated.

“That seems to have worked,” MacInnes told the *Times* earlier this month. “It’s not a 100 per cent guarantee.”

While he said the odd piece of mail might still end up lost, MacInnes said it had been more than a month and half

since he’d had any complaints about delivery from any of his members.

The main reason for the revamping of the postal codes was to synchronize residents’ mailing addresses with their 911 addresses.

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our editorial

## Farewell to February

**S**O, WE'VE NEARLY made it through another February here on the western side of Haliburton County.

Admittedly, this winter has been a fairly passive one as far as Haliburton winters go, with much less snow and cold than this time of year is capable of throwing at us.

Still, February, well . . . it's just a drag.

I'm not trying to get backs up and I know that snowmobilers and ice-fishing fans, skiers and snowboarders are all in their glory right now.

I realize February is extremely important for the area's wintertime economy.

Still, for me, at least, someone who doesn't partake in many snow-fuelled activities, February, even a mild one, marks the most-reviled month of the year.

The nostalgic glow of the December holidays has long since faded and those first shades of spring that March often lets us glimpse are still a ways off.

Snow is dirty with mud and exhaust and that grey backdrop of bare deciduous trees is becoming monotonously dreary.

Time for a little colour, already.

Luckily, the Family Day long week-

end brought its fair share of colour for residents, with Minden's Winterfest and the Dorset Snowball.

These annual traditions serve up plenty of activities and family fun with the kind of individualistic charm one can only find in small communities.

From horse-drawn wagon rides to minnow races to Minden's famous chili cook-off, they are the sorts of events that provide a nice recess from the February doldrums.

These sorts of events require a tremendous amount of time and

organization to put together.

Where will all the activities take place? Are there enough volunteers to run the stations? What about food? How much food is enough? What kind of equipment is required? Where will it come from? Who will look after cleanup?

The checklist is long.

Congratulations and thanks should go to the organizers and volunteers of both Winterfest and the Snowball for another successful year.

And here's a fond farewell to February, thankfully, the shortest month of the year.



**Chad Ingram**  
Reporter

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letters to the editor

## Let's come together and chip in

To the Editor,

I am one of those lucky people who is able to spend her summers in Minden. Yes, I'm the bittersweet cottage goer.

I grew up in Nova Scotia and being able to spend my weekends in Minden are a true blessing to me. I love everything about it, the people, the beauty, the history (as my husband's grandfather built the cottage with his bare hands). Knowing how much this area is loved by everyone, I felt the need to speak out about this.

I saw the article regarding how much it costs to have the flower baskets in town and while I do understand that is a lot of money for a community to shell out, at the same time it adds that extra little bit of beauty to the town!

I don't see why people can't come

together and all chip in to do this. I am not wealthy by any means, recently married, living with my in-laws, but I would be more than willing to chip in and save the flower baskets!

If we can get the word out there and possibly seek help from the fruit market, for example, to get these beautiful baskets back up and get the store keepers to help water, and what they can't do hire out or even have people donate their time to water them there's no reason for this to not happen.

If anyone out there is with me on this, I'd love to hear it and get this started! Let's come together and keep this place as beautiful as we all know it to be!

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# points of view

## A bad end

I'VE READ A LOT of confusing headlines in my time but none worse than the one that greeted me online this morning. It proclaimed, "Police find crack in suspect's butt."

I'm assuming that they were talking about the drug, but since I never followed up and actually read the story, I'm not certain. Either way, I find it worrisome.

I mean, just when crack users thought that they had already hit an all time low, this happens.

The good part is that if this doesn't help keep people away from that awful stuff I don't know what will. And, if it does help, maybe we should follow it up with a headline that reads "Police find crack in marathon runner's armpit" or "Police find crack between toes of homeless man."

That would be great.

But what if the headline is not referring to the drug at all? What if it is simply reporting a police description of a suspect's rear end? Perhaps as circumstantial evidence of guilt?

You've got to admit that it's plausible. After all, this has all the hallmarks of your average police description – terse vagueness.

Why don't we follow this line of reasoning for a bit?

Let's assume that the police arrested a suspect who they think might be responsible for a series of drive-by moonings. Naturally, none of the witnesses ever saw the face. So a description of the other end is all they've got to offer – which is then promptly rendered by a police sketch artist.

Wanted posters go up, of course – you know, just in case anyone saw someone fitting the description.

And soon, the police are inundated with calls – many of them dead ends.

The problem as previously noted, however, is that the description is a bit vague. Between you and me, this depiction fits almost everyone I know. Yes, I said almost...

I also find it troubling that, if my theory holds true, witnesses will have to point out the suspect's derriere in a police line up.

"Sir, do you recognize the Mad Mooner?"

"I'm sorry, I can't be sure. It was dark and it was squished up against the car window."



**Steve Galea**  
Beyond 35

All I'm saying here is that this highlights the need for police to give the public better descriptions if they want our help catching criminals.

Would it have hurt to have used additional descriptors like jiggly, dimples, hairy or skinny? What about telling us about distinguishing features like moles, scars, tattoos or rudimentary tails?

These are the little details make all the difference.

Right now, the wrong person might be sitting in jail as a result of mistaken identity.

And that is why our police should be much more careful with their descriptions. And news organizations need to write clear, concise headlines.

Hey, I won't always be around to get to the bottom of things.

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## Is the future here yet?

"IT'S NOT AS if something is going to happen in the future. There are things that are happening right now."

*-Gord Miller, Ontario's Environmental Commissioner*

Perhaps sooner than expected for sugar maple trees.

It's astonishing how easily you can work yourself into a tizzy when a bit of news comes along that supports your belief that the natural world is going to hell in a handbasket.

Miller's remarks at a news conference in Toronto last month were regarded as just the least bit over the top by bureaucrats who work in the field.

But if Miller, who was appointed by Mike Harris and then re-appointed twice by Dalton McGuinty, was getting ahead of himself, sometimes it takes hyperbole to get the rest of us to pay attention.

Not that most of us paid all that much attention a month ago when Miller explained the effect global warming might have on our sugar maples.

"The ones we have would survive but not be able to re-produce and then we'd get drought and kill," said Miller,

whose backdrop was Canada's maple leaf flag.

And then something said by an expert at last Friday's Lindsay Woodlot Conference made that grim future seem a little less distant.

There was enough apple pie and good fellowship at Lindsay to make sensible folk ignore little bits of bad news that kept popping up as part of the day's entertainment.

I have never been one of the sensible ones and so I wasn't entertained by news from Barb Boysen of the Forest Gene Conservation Authority that the sugar maple's good seed years seem to be less frequent than in the past.

Instead of the four-year interval between crops that has been the norm, sugar maples may have shifted to a six-year rotation. Last spring's weather wiped out what would have been only the second good crop in a dozen years, a span that would have been expected to produce three crops.

Is that just bad luck or has climate change pushed the tree that anchors so many of Ontario's hardwood forests to the top of a slippery slope?

Or am I too ready to get into a tizzy? If a four-year cycle is the norm, the Canadian Forest Service's Trees in

Canada says the interval between good crops may be as much as seven years. It will take another year or two for us to see whether Miller's future has arrived.

Up here on Sapsucker Ridge, The Brown Dog Jiggs and I have a climate advantage over southern Ontario that might postpone that day of reckoning for our landscape.

That's unless the Asian long-horned beetle, which appears to be re-grouping in New York and Ohio, sneaks across the border and into our Highlands.

Perhaps the best strategy is just to eat our apple pie and hope that things work out in the end. Just as they did on Easter Island, at least until they cut down their last tree. The alternative is to sink into deep gloom.

The optimists may have to adjust to a much different landscape. It's hard to figure out which of the hardwoods that now cover Sapsucker Ridge will still be here in 50 years.

Sugar maple is the dominant spe-

cies on the Ridge, with lesser numbers of beech, ash, yellow birch, basswood and poplar, more or less in that order, and small pockets of softwoods.

The northeasterly march of the Emerald ash borer, now in Durham Region, seems inexorable. When it arrives, that will be the end of our ash trees.

I'm not sure whether it is beech bark disease that is afflicting my beech trees, but something is certainly killing them. Even the trees that look fine on the surface are rotten inside.

Beech bark disease is a fungus that enters the tree through feeding wounds made by a tiny insect called beech bark scale, causing cankers that often girdle the tree.

There's speculation that the insect couldn't survive a return of the kind of severe cold we used to have in Hali-burton winters, but I'm not holding my breath waiting for that to happen.

My yellow birches may be as unhappy as the maples with a warmer, drier climate and only a few of my 50 acres are suitable habitat, even now.

Poplar, anyone? Perhaps with dog-strangling vine to fill the openings? Jiggs is very nervous.

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**Neil Campbell**  
Back of Beyond

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# Landowners dispute reserve rules

Jenn Watt  
Editor

A new document from the Ministry of Natural Resources has landowners in the Clear Lake Conservation Reserve concerned that the way they've traditionally used the land will no longer be permitted.

The "preliminary management statement" released earlier this month outlines rules for the reserve (along with Dawson Ponds and Plastic Lake Conservation Reserve) including restrictions on trail maintenance and boat caching, which raised the ire of some property owners who say those activities are integral to their enjoyment of the land.

At an open house meeting held by the MNR at the Stanhope Firefighters' Hall Feb. 16, a small number of people came to air frustrations over not only the management statement, but also the limited amount of time given for feedback and what they called poor communication by the ministry to adjacent landowners.

Most at the event weren't told about the document and said the ministry should have sent property owners a letter in the mail. They said this lack of notice and the date of the open house – held in the middle of the week in the winter – reduced the number of people attending and giving feedback.

The Clear Lake reserve is right on the boundary of Dysart and Algonquin Highlands and is bordered by Kennisis Lake, Red Pine Lake, Big Hawk Lake and Little Hawk Lake. It became a protected reserve in 1997.

Peter Hewitt, one of the more vocal attendees last week, said he wanted to be included in the early stages of the management plan, rather than be asked to comment on one that was already complete.

"It's too late to start massaging this document when we don't know why you did it," he told ministry representative Mike Turner.

Hewitt is particularly upset with a portion of the statement that disallows trail groom-

ing.

Only a few years ago, the MNR had allowed grooming, but during the last two, no permissions have come forward, limiting the number of people who can use the trails.

For another landowner, Robert Lee, the rules are preventing him from upgrading his four cottages to include hydro, something he believes should be his right.

"We just want to have power," said Lee, who owns the properties with his wife Elaine.

The land has been in Elaine's family for five generations.

So far, they have been running their fridge and stove with propane, but Lee thought that was dangerous. He was also concerned about limitations on cached boats on Clear Lake.

The MNR statement wants to eliminate all boats stored on the lake other than those belonging to the lake's property owners.

According to the management statement, "public boat caches result in extra fishing pressure ... [and] can also jeopardize the feeling of remoteness."

It goes on to say: "Caching of boats by the Clear Lake property owners have resulted in multiple boats being cached at access points, creating crowding as well as aesthetic issues for other users."

Several at the meeting, including Lee, said the lake was often used to access their properties and move around the reserve, requiring a cached vessel. They also took issue with rules dictating that ATVs can only be used on certain marked routes, while other long-existing trails are not shown on any of the ministry's maps.

Peter's brother, Larry Hewitt, pointed out many former logging routes that were left off of the ministry map that he says are still used to this day by users of the reserve.

A group calling itself the Friends of the Clear Lake Conservation Area Heritage Trails Association has emerged issuing concerns about the management statement to the media and potential supporters. They have outlined three demands to the minis-



Jenn Watt Staff

Dave Bishop, right, and Larry Hewitt discuss proposed changes to both the Clear Lake Conservation Reserve and the Dawson Ponds and Plastic Lake Conservation Reserve at an open house Feb. 16 at the Stanhope Firefighters' Hall. The Ministry of Natural Resources is taking comments on the plans for another month.

try: recall the statement; eliminate the 45-day consultation period in favour of more time; and require ministry staff to negotiate fair terms with local stakeholders including allowing groomers back on the trails.

From the ministry's standpoint, not much has actually changed between the original rules that have governed the reserve since 1997 and this new document.

"There isn't anything new that we're restricting," Turner said. "We've tightened up the language ... but a lot of stuff is all the same."

However, he said the consultation period will allow for the ministry to look at users' needs and concerns and bring back changes to regulations.

"They're voicing their opinions and we're glad to hear it," he said.

Robert Lee said he hoped the ministry would listen to landowners' concerns, balancing the land use reality with conservation principles.

"We love the remoteness of the cottage ... but we also have to be practical," he said.

"It is a reserve, but it's not undisturbed." Other changes introduced at the meeting include adding a new portion to the north end of the reserve, including the lake beds in reserve jurisdiction as well as the shoreline allowances. Peter Hewitt intends to have a meeting for concerned citizens March 10 at 10 a.m. at the West Guilford Recreation Centre.

Feedback will be accepted until March 26 and information can be obtained by calling Turner at 705-286-5216.

## New tourism initiative focuses on the language of the Highlands

Chad Ingram  
Staff reporter

"Welcome to the Haliburton Highlands."

This is a phrase visitors to the area will be hearing a lot more if a new tourism branding initiative takes off.

The Haliburton Highlands Tourism Committee – comprised of accommodators and other stakeholders – has obtained a \$10,000 community capacity grant from the Haliburton County Development Corporation that it will use to create a network of tourism ambassadors and focus on the branding of the "Haliburton Highlands."

"The Haliburton Highlands Tourism Committee decided a year or so ago that we wanted to create a grant that helped to brand the Haliburton Highlands at home, that would help to create and develop the language of the Haliburton Highlands and how excellent a place it is to live, work and play," says Sally Moore, owner of Sunny

Rock B&B and the driving force behind the program.

"Unless we're talking the same language, all of us, we aren't ever going to have a true brand, and the brand of tourism in this county should be the Haliburton Highlands."

Moore emphasizes that "Haliburton County" should be used to refer to the local government and that "Haliburton Highlands" should be applied to the area itself.

Communities located outside the technical boundaries of the county are welcome to join in.

"It allows those people that want an identity with us to have it," Moore says, using Kinmount as an example.

Put on in conjunction with the county's tourism marketing department, the initiative will utilize window clings that business owners can put in their windows, proclaiming they are tourism ambassadors.

"When a visitor goes to a business, they can get information they need ... and they

get a smile and they're engaged in conversation," says Barrie Martin, the indefatigable promoter of all things Haliburton Highlands who's been contracted by the committee to facilitate the project.

Martin will be reaching out to businesses, meeting with interested owners and providing "flash" customer service tutorials.

"Flash is the operative word," Martin says, explaining they will take but five minutes and business owners will be given a list of tips to keep in mind.

The program is meant not just for accommodators and restaurants, but any business that has interface with the public.

Individuals can take part as well.

Martin will also be building a database of all those involved, who will receive information on upcoming events they can share with their visitors.

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tourism co-ordinator Maria Micallef at 705-286-1777 or [mmicallef@county.haliburton.on.ca](mailto:mmicallef@county.haliburton.on.ca).



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## MEETINGS AND EVENTS

**February 23** Council Meeting (10:00  
am public session) –  
Budget to be passed  
**February 26** Ice Fishing Derby (Pigeon  
Lake) – Minden Hills Fire  
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**March 8** Committee of the Whole/  
General Committee  
meeting  
(10:00 am public session)  
**March 29** Council Meeting (10:00  
am public session)

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Time is running out! Don't miss your chance to see the fantastic exhibition "Evidence" showing at the Agnes Jamieson Gallery. The last date to view this exhibition is this Saturday, February 25th. "Evidence" features works by Toronto-based photographer Ryan Szulc and local photojournalist Darren Lum. The exhibition focuses on the role photography plays in today's society.

### Culture Club March Break Programs

All workshops run from 10:30am to 3:30pm, include supplies, and are recommended for children age 8+. Children need to bring a lunch. Cost per session per child is \$20. Pre-paid registration is required. **Please call 705-286-2808 to register.**

### Monday, March 12 - Scene-A-Rama Project Box

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## NOTICE

Economic Development Workshop  
Thursday February 23rd 4:30 to 7:00pm  
Minden Hills Council Chambers, 7 Milne Street

Agenda will include  
Information Sharing / Update on current strategy  
Discussion and feedback to improve the strategy  
Review of Strategic Focus Areas  
Defining Next Steps  
Engaging the Business Community going forward  
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## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

**DUE: March 9th, 2012 @ 4:00 p.m.**

The Township of Minden Hills is requesting proposals from qualified consultants for the creation of a Minden Hills Village Development Master Plan. The Deadline for questions concerning the RFP is February 13th to 24th, 2012 (please note all questions and answers will be shared, on an unattributed basis, with every potential bidder requesting this service).

Consultants proposing to bid are invited to attend an onsite meeting to discuss and review all materials on Monday, February 13th, 2012 at the Minden Hills Municipal Office, 7 Milne St., Minden, Ontario on the Second Floor in the Boardroom at 1:00 p.m. We would kindly ask that you RSVP to Laura Cunliffe @ [lcunliffe@mindenhills.ca](mailto:lcunliffe@mindenhills.ca) if you are attending.

Tenders will be received in a SEALED envelope clearly marked "Minden Hills Village Development Master Plan" no later than Friday, March 9th, 2012 at 4:00 p.m. as set out in the RFP, addressed to Minden Hills Municipal Office, 7 Milne St., Minden, Ontario KOM 2K0.

For further information please direct your inquiries to (705) 286-1260 ext 215 - Laura Cunliffe, Interim Clerk ([lcunliffe@mindenhills.ca](mailto:lcunliffe@mindenhills.ca)) – [www.mindenhills.ca](http://www.mindenhills.ca)

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## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Township of Minden Hills is requesting proposals from qualified Chipping and Grinding Contractors for the removal of Construction and Demolition Waste from the Scotch Line Landfill. Tenders must be in a SEALED envelope clearly marked "Landfill Chipping and Grinding" no later than March 14, 2012 at 12:00 noon.

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# Drummond report should be wake up call: Scott

**Brendan Wedley**  
QMI Agency

Hopefully the Drummond Commission report has woken up Ontario residents to how bad the deficit and debt situation is in the province, Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock Progressive Conservative MPP Laurie Scott says.

"We're saying implement Drummond's 362 recommendations. It is severe," she said. "It is going to hurt all of us."

The Liberal government asked Don

Drummond, a former bank economist, to lead the commission to come up with recommendations on how to restructure the public sector. The government is striving to eliminate its \$16-billion deficit by 2017-18. Drummond warns that the deficit could balloon to \$30 billion.

It has been eight years of Liberal mismanagement, Scott said.

"We cannot go forward as a province and become the Greece of Canada," she said, adding government spending has increased by almost 80 per cent over the last eight years.



**It is a very serious situation that McGuinty's Liberals have got us into.**

— Laurie Scott

She urged the government to stop corporate welfare, invest in what can create jobs and freeze the public sector.

"Get out of the way of businesses. Let them prosper," she said.

Scott expressed concern over the government rejecting recommendations such as the commission's call to cancel all-day kindergarten.

"If they're going to cherry pick, we're not going to tackle the debt and deficit and make Ontario a better place," she said. "It is a very serious situation that McGuinty's Liberals have got us into."



## Spice up your life

Liz Case, the president of the horticulture society, addresses the group at the Minden and District Horticultural Society's annual potluck luncheon on Saturday, Feb. 4 at Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church in Minden with 60 people enjoying a wonderful array of food. The event was the kickoff for the 2012 season for the society.

The speaker, Susan Eagles, a medical herbalist, gave the group information on how to use herbs and spices in our diet to live healthy lives.

The next meeting of the society will be on Tuesday, March 6 at the Minden Community Centre at 1 p.m.

Submitted by Susan and Gord Sheehan

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# Coyote threat overblown, MNR says

**Dave Flaherty**  
QMI Agency

While coyotes can potentially be dangerous to humans, the danger can easily be avoided through common sense and awareness, a Ministry of Natural Resources employee told several hundred people at the Lindsay Woodlot Conference on Friday, Feb. 17.

Doug van Hemessen, co-ordinator of the Victoria Stewardship Council for the MNR spoke about the canine species at the conference held the Admiral Inn in Lindsay.

Van Hemessen said while coyotes can pose a threat to humans, the risk of being attacked in Ontario is very low.

"Coyotes are carnivorous and we need to respect that. But the threat is overblown in the media," van Hemessen said.

Although many people may identify coyotes with the howls they hear in the distance at night, the animals also thrive in urban areas, van Hemessen said.

He explained that when coyotes in urban areas lose their natural fear of humans, they become more danger-

ous.

For example, he noted coyotes are usually nocturnal animals but those who aren't afraid of humans will come out during the day.

"That's when you know you have a problem," he said.

He shared a story of sightings of the animals in the "club districts" of Toronto.

"There will be one coyote sitting in the shadows just down the street from a hot dog vendor. There will be literally hundreds of people coming out of the bars. Someone will drop a hot dog and the coyote will run out grab it and disappear back into the darkness," he said.

He advised simple ways to avoid problems with coyotes which include keeping trash stored where it cannot be easily reached, noting coyotes will eat pretty much anything, and keeping animals such as cats and smaller dogs inside at night.

Van Hemessen added that the MNR has put a lot of work into helping farmers who have suffered losses of livestock due to coyotes.

He said the activities of coyotes can be hard to predict, but GPS collars have been a useful tool for the ministry.



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- There are children presently waiting in Haliburton County to meet an adult role model and build a positive friendship.
- Funding for mentoring programs is raised through agency fundraising events such as Bowl for Kids Sake, which is the sole source of funding for programs in Haliburton County.
- Children who are involved with a mentor have an increased chance of reaching their full potential.
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# Start with one-year contract, Reid says

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and livelihoods on the line and a toxic environment, the producers took the only recourse left to them – threaten a lawsuit,” Teljeur wrote in a Feb. 17 blog entry. “Given those circumstances, what would you do?”

Minden Hills Reeve Barb Reid has been adamant the township wants to see the event proceed, but must protect itself by starting with a one-year contract.

Reid reiterated that sentiment with a response on Teljeur’s blog on Feb. 19 explaining her concerns.

“Your blog refers to a financial benefit to the Township of Minden Hills of \$126,000,” Reid wrote. “Clearly there seems to be a business plan and you’ve chosen to reveal aspects of it on your blog but have not shared anything in writing with Minden Hills staff or council. A draft agreement for the event is not a business plan for the event.”

Without a business plan and an operational plan – dealing with fire protection, policing, etc. – Reid wrote that it is difficult for councillors and township lawyers to evaluate the merits and risks of the event.

“Finally, you claim in your blog that you would never do anything to harm the place you call home,” Reid wrote. “On this, we agree. Council has a responsibility to the people of Minden Hills to ensure that we take no action that would bring harm to our community.”

Teljeur responded to Reid’s comments with a post the next day, where he states the OPP have been contacted and that the promoter has been waiting for a counterproposal from the township for more than a week.

“Time for Minden Hills to quit throwing up road blocks and help me tear a few down before this event and the ticket revenue and economics find their way to another community,” he wrote. “If [Minden Hills] is truly supportive of this venture, time to show it and get involved with more than just words. Pick up the phone and call the pro-

moter, have a face to face meeting. Do something. Anything. Get in the game and help me.”

To this, Reid responded with one sentence: “John,

when we get written confirmation from the promoter that he is willing to agree to a one-time event, we will then have an agreement drawn up.” To view

the blog, visit <http://john-teljeursfoodcrusade.blogspot.com/2012/02/truth-about-great-lakes-jam-and-minden.html>.

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# Reads of the week



## Book of the Week:

*Bedtime Story* by Robert J Wiersema

In the 2012 Evergreen Award nominated title *Bedtime Story*, Christopher Knox begins reading to his son David from an obscure fantasy novel. One night, when young David is reading alone, a seizure leaves him in a mysterious state of unconsciousness. As his seizure recurs every night, his father learns that only one thing will calm it; a bedtime story from his strange new book. Convinced that the secret of David's collapse is within its pages, Chris travels the continent in search of the truth.

Meanwhile, David wakes up within the story he has been reading. As his father struggles to free him, David struggles to survive, facing perils beyond belief in a world created to capture the souls of boys like him. Father and son are headed toward a fateful collision of worlds and a showdown with ancient evils, both fictional and real. You can request *Bedtime Story* in print or e-book format at the Haliburton County Public Library.

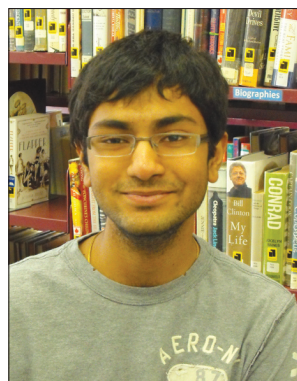
## Junior Book of the Week: Picture Book Title

*Betty Bunny Wants Everything* by Michael B. Kaplan

Betty Bunny's mother takes her and her siblings to a toy store where each is allowed to pick out one item. Betty refuses to choose just one and throws a tantrum when

she learns the alternative is to get nothing. Betty Bunny is every pre-schooler you know: always loveable, often a handful, and seldom understands why she can't always get her way. Will mother and father find a way to teach her this powerful lesson in self-control?

## Local Celebrity Read:



flourishing medical practice.

Puru Shah recently read *Contagion* for a Grade 12 biology project in which students were asked to review a novel with a biological aspect. "This book is interesting because it is a crime novel with a science-y base. It is definitely a 'who-done-it' with all the clichés of betrayal and love-triangles. It has all of that except it involves murder with disease, rather than with knives."

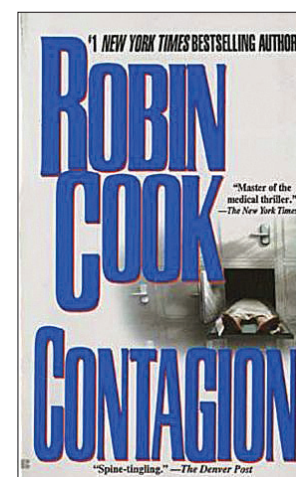
In *Contagion*, when not one but three different extremely rare diseases kill several patients at a New York hospital, forensic pathologist Jack Stapleton suspects it's more than just coincidence. He thinks there's a connection between the appearance of the mysterious microbes responsible for the deaths and the HMO that owns the hospital - the same HMO that once destroyed his

*Contagion* was Shah's first Robin Cook book but it probably won't be his last. "I read a lot of different stuff," he says. "I like adventure, mysteries - everything except romance and *Twilight*."

Shah says he would recommend this novel to anyone with a very basic science background who, in his words, "is tired of the same old crime novel."

## News & Events:

Library yoga at the Dysart branch continues each Monday afternoon from 4 to 5 p.m. and has been extended until Feb. 28. Whether you are a beginner or an advanced yogi, drop by the library with your yoga mat for an energizing yoga session. Entrance is by donation to the Friends of the Library. See you there.

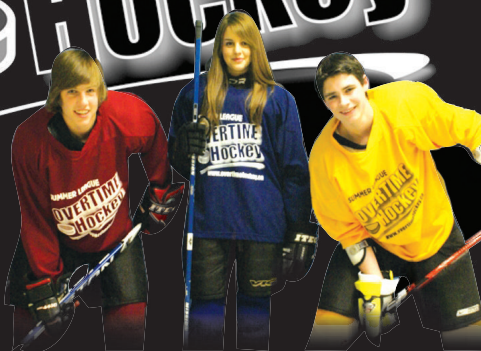


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# Farmers' market continues to grow

Jenn Watt  
Editor

The Haliburton County Farmers' Market is planting a few more seeds this season, hoping to cultivate a bigger customer base and better understanding of local food.

Starting with a sharp new logo, the "incrEdible" farmers' market is branching out and trying new things.

"The market has to evolve and it has to grow," board member Rick Ratcliff said in an interview last week.

The board underwent an intensive strategic planning process including six meetings since November fleshing out what they wanted to do and who they wanted to be.

While much of their vision is still in the formative stages, creating more interactivity and buzz are among their goals for 2012.

"We want to have a feature for each market," said board chairwoman Angel Taylor, including hands-on demonstrations of how to use produce, education about the Haliburton growing season and a chance to learn about individual farmers or vendors.

Part of the experience of the market is the chance to meet the people who grew your food, Ratcliff said.

"You can chat with the person who grew it ... it's an educational experience," he said.

Ratcliff envisions farmers putting together small displays to teach customers about what it takes to grow specific produce.

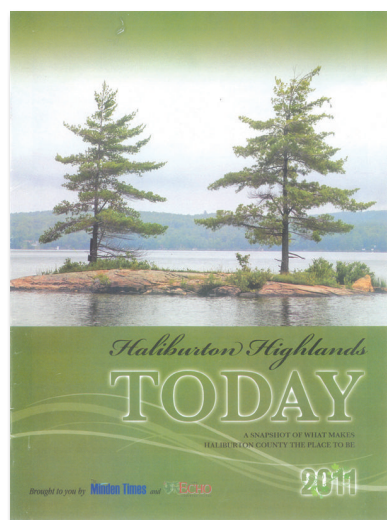


The new farmers' market logo, designed by Linda Middleton, is the first step in a revitalization of the market.

The farmers' market is going into its fourth season and has already dealt with several challenges including relocating from Haliburton to Carnarvon, scheduling around other markets and deciding how far away food at the market could come from.

This year, the market will return to Haliburton for part of the season – another challenge.

From June 15 to Aug. 31, the market will set up every Friday from 1 to 5 p.m. at the crossroads of highways 118 and 35 in Carnarvon. Then for the fall, from Sept. 7 to Oct. 5, it will move to Haliburton's Rotary beach by the tennis courts from 2 to 6 p.m. on Fridays.



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The move is to reach out to the Haliburton side of the county, while not shirking the loyal customers who frequented Carnarvon for the past two seasons.

They don't keep statistics on how many people use the market, but can tell that it has become more popular year over year.

"We have done well," Taylor said, "but we need to up it another level to keep and attract vendors and keep customers coming."

That may include a blog, Facebook page or perhaps a frequent visitor card that gives the regular customer a gift for their patronage.

Firm details about this year's market will be unveiled in the next few months.

For now, the market board wants the public to know the market is branching out and trying new things this year.

For more details, get in touch with Angel Taylor at 705-286-4877.

## Notices



### COUNTY OF HALIBURTON LAND DIVISION COMMITTEE

#### NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS FOR CONSENT

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** pursuant to Section 53(5)(a) of the *Planning Act* and Section 3, O.Reg. 197/96, as amended, that the following Applications for Consent have been submitted to the Haliburton County Land Division Committee, the consent granting authority in these matters.

**AND FURTHER THAT** at its meeting to be held **Monday, March 12, 2012 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Administration Building, County of Haliburton Office, 11 Newcastle Street, Minden, Ontario, these Applications for Consent will be heard by the Land Division Committee:

- File No. H-071/11  
Applicant: Tom MILLER  
Location of the Property: Pt. Lot 22, Concession 5, Geographic Township of Stanhope  
Nature of the Application: Lot Addition
- File No. H-075/11  
Applicant: Kenneth TEASDALE  
Location of the Property: Pt. Lot 27, Concession 6, Geographic Township of Stanhope  
Nature of the Application: Lot Addition
- File No. H-001/12  
Applicant: Marguerite PROVENCHER  
Location of the Property: Pt. Lot 16, Concession 10, Geographic Township of Sherborne  
Nature of the Application: Right-of-Way
- File No. H-002/12  
Applicant: Gary BEECHEY & Deborah GROVER  
Location of the Property: Pt. Lot 16, Concession 10, Geographic Township of Sherborne  
Nature of the Application: Right-of-Way

Additional information regarding any of the above-noted applications is available for public inspection at the Land Division Office *by appointment* during regular business hours, Monday to Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

If a person or public body that files an appeal of a decision of the Land Division Committee in respect of the proposed consent does not make written submissions to the Land Division Committee before it gives or refuses to give a provisional consent, the Ontario Municipal Board may dismiss the appeal.

If you wish to be notified of the decision of the Land Division Committee in respect of the proposed consent, you must make a written request to the undersigned.

Dated at the Township of Minden Hills this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2012

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# Love is in the air at Hyland Crest

Love Is In The Air formal dinner for the Hyland Crest residents and their families was a wonderful event. Each year there is a different theme ... Love Is In The Air was this year's theme. The event would not be possible without the help and support from all departments in the organization.

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Each department plays a huge role in the overall success of the evening. We had two entertainers: Vivian Hetherington played the piano in the upper dining room and Jazz Kitchen performed in the auditorium. Ginger Kulas hand-made all of the table favour's this year, which were heart cookies and they were to die for! This year we had volunteers who sat in for family members who were unable so that each resident was able to have a guest.

*Submitted by Janine Burk*

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Jim and Olive Hamilton have their picture taken at Hyland Crest's formal dinner held annually for residents and their families. /Submitted by Janine Burk



Violet Clements and son Robert Clements smile for the camera. / Submitted by Janine Burk



Above, the front entrance of Hyland Crest was decorated to match the theme "Love is in the air." Submitted by Janine Burk



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# Peewee As put on valiant effort versus Grizzlies

Dr. Ed Smolen Family Dentistry Peewee As played the third game in their series against the Centre Hastings Grizzlies on Saturday, Feb. 18 at 5 p.m. in Haliburton.

This was a "do or die" game.

The Storm boys put forth a valiant effort, but this was to be the end of their playdown road, with a loss of 4-2.

Our two goals were scored by Matt Wilbee and Chris Thompson, I do not have the assists.

Now we will move on to our playoffs within our loop, Muskoka-Parry Sound, as yet the dates and times of games are not known.

*Submitted by Karena Crofts*

## Storm Midgets win emotional series

The TimBr Mart Highland Storm Midgets played in the first three games of the OMHA quarter finals this weekend against North Frontenac.

Friday night the Storm played host in Haliburton and by the end of the first period found themselves down 3-0.

They started to show some life in the second and netted two goals from Tanner Ballantyne and Ryan Hunter with the only helper to Drake Montgomery, but at the intermission the score would read 4-2 visitors.

In the third, Frontenac came out hard and score a quick one to go ahead 5-2.

This then put a little fire in the pants of the home team and they would score three unanswered goals to tie the game in the third.

Goals went to Jordan Howe and Ryan Hunter with two to complete the hat trick and assists to Tanner Hamilton, Jacob Sisson, Nick Hunter, John Rae, Jordan, and Ballantyne.

With a quick break the game now went into overtime where the Storm dominated the play and in the final three minutes of OT Kieran Poropat with a burst of speed snapped the puck over the glove of the tender to get the game winning goal unassisted.

Game 2 had the Storm travelling to North Frontenac. The visiting team was playing better hockey this game and that made it a much tighter game yet with a similar theme.

At the end of the first there was no score.

At the intermission the home team would be ahead 2-1 with the Storm goal going to Ryan.

Frontenac would have the lead until the last three min-

utes of the game once again when Ryan tied it up helped out by Zach Boice.

Once again we were headed to OT.

So with another extra inning pep talk from the coach, the Storm came out gangbusters again.

With good skating and sharp passes the Storm would keep the home team running and once again Kieran would jam in the winner while in front of the net with assists to Ryan and Doni MacInnes.

Sunday brought a spirited Game 3 back to Haliburton.

The home team came out on fire scoring six times: Nick Hunter, Howe, Hamilton, and Ryan each with one and Ballantyne with two; helpers went to Zach, Ballantyne, Hamilton, Ryan, Andrew Murray, John Mark Penman and Stewart Chaulk.

In the second, Frontenac would rebound and answer back with four of their own.

Needless to say, the sound of the buzzer to go to intermission was a welcomed end of this period.

Coming back to the third, Frontenac would again get on the board and the game was now one goal apart.

But, as has been the theme of this series, when the Storm players have their backs to the wall, they rise to the occasion and Ryan would add an insurance tally assisted by Mike Dack.

As with all good hockey teams, the backbone has to be confident goaltending and both Jordan Hamilton and Brayden Frost were a large part of the success of these games.

So Storm wins this emotional series in three games straight and are now awaiting the semi-final series.

*Submitted by Wendy Sisson*

## Atom As hold on

Saturday the Atom As hosted the Centre Hastings Grizzlies.

We went into this game down two games to zero, with a must-win or we were done the season. We managed to pull off a tie 5-5.

With four grueling periods of hockey, (including an overtime) we managed to hold on by the skin of our teeth. We as a team played great; we would score and they would answer right back with a goal five times over this happened.

We watched our boys get put in the penalty box time and

time again: 10 times to be exact. It was an unfair pair of refs, but we still managed to pull off a tie.

Sunday's game was a must-win for us, or we were done. We did it, winning 3-2.

We played a fantastic game in Marmora, giving them a taste of their own medicine.

With this win we force a Game 5, another must-win for us.

We've done it once we can do it again. Great job boys, keep up the great work we know you can come back and win this.

We play Saturday, Feb. 25 in Minden at 5 p.m., please come out and help cheer us on.

*Submitted by Joanne Sisson*

## Bantam AEs win shootout

The Dave's Landscaping/McKee Security Bantam AEs opened their MPS playoff series verses Huntsville on Saturday.

The Storm out-worked the Otters and controlled the play in the first period but were unable to capitalize on any of their chances.

All the effort of the opening period paid off early in the second when Hunter Bishop picked up a loose puck in the Otters' end, skated to the top of the face-off circle and unleashed a slap shot past the Huntsville goalkeeper.

More hard work by Bishop and Caleb Schmidt along the boards resulted in the Storm's second goal as they set up Lucas Esson in the slot and he made no mistake.

Drew Vanlieshout put the Storm up by three goals as he scored on a nice wrist shot from the slot with an assist from Damen Winder.

The Otters began to play more desperately at this point and scored the next goal at the 10:59 mark.

They then scored shorthanded to finish the period only down a goal.

With momentum on their side the Otters tallied the lone marker of the third period and sent the game into overtime. The five-minute overtime session settled nothing thereby forcing a shootout.

Jaydon Wood's goal proved to be all that the Storm needed as goalie Cole Finlay stopped all three of Huntsville's shooters.

Game 2 will be played in Haliburton.

*Submitted by Doug Sullivan*

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# Winterfest in Kinmount this weekend



**Patti Fleury**  
Around the Town

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For so many years my wardrobe fashion faults were covered up by a white lab coat. Since retirement to the old farmhouse back in 1999 dress up demands have been relatively few and to describe my present style as country casual would be an understatement. Reading Saturday's *Globe and Mail* Fashion and Beauty section lifted my spirits with its glossy article titled "How to pull off athletic-inspired trousers." So from now on when caught off-guard in those track pants just remember this new labelling. You're wearing athletic-inspired trousers!

My Saturday plan was put on hold watching instead the remarkable service for Whitney Houston. Not a spectacle or a media circus but as the pastor put it "we do church" and so they did.

Later Canadian actor Megan Follows

caught our attention as she hosted a documentary on the international charity Operation Smile founded in 1982 with headquarters in Norfolk, Virginia. Going back to my white coat days one of our plastic surgeons headed overseas twice each year with this organization donating his time and talent to carry out repairs for children born with hair lips and cleft palates. What I did not realize before this viewing was the devastating effects of these disfigurements far beyond feeding and speech difficulties. In less than a one hour surgery these innocent little ones, often hidden at home unable to go to school due to the cruel taunts of others, are given not only new faces but new lives. Visit [www.operationsmile.ca](http://www.operationsmile.ca) to learn more.

Do you enjoy the TD Bank series of commercials starring the two elderly gentlemen as much as we do? The latest in the series features their favourite waitress Donna and her restaurant's daily special of liver and onions. If that whets your appetite then head off to the Kinmount Legion Branch 441 on Tuesday, Feb. 28 between 11:30 a.m.

and 1:30 p.m. Another hot entrée will be on the menu as well if you, like those two seasoned actors, prefer.

Continuing on a food theme the menu at the upcoming dinner and auction in support of the *Kinmount Gazette* and the Victoria Pony Club is delicious ham and scalloped potatoes plus homemade dessert. The date is Saturday, March 3 and the doors to the Galway Hall will open for a social hour at 5 p.m. with dinner to follow at six o'clock. Tickets are \$12/person and available from any Gazette or Pony Club member or by calling 705-488-2547. Donations for the auction would be warmly welcomed and can also be made by calling that telephone number.

The annual Kinmount Winterfest offers plenty of family fun for everyone. Come out on Sunday, Feb. 26 and start off with a hearty pancake breakfast from 8 to 11 a.m. at the community centre. The cost is \$5 for adults, \$3 for children 12 and under with preschoolers free. While there try your luck at the country raffle and visit the Artisans Marketplace downstairs before going to

the arena/fairgrounds to enjoy a wide variety of events, vote for the best chili recipe and view the exhibits by the Fur Trappers Association and the Antique Classic Snowmobile Club of Canada and take a sleigh or wagon ride courtesy of Mash Hill Carriages. For full details too many to list here visit [www.kinmount.ca](http://www.kinmount.ca) or check the latest issue of the *Kinmount Gazette*. Contest registration/waiver forms can be picked up at local businesses and dropped off at Gateway Variety or brought to Winterfest. Refreshments will be available for purchase at the all day snack bar and the outdoor barbecue.

Members of the Kinmount and Area Artisans Guild please note that the Annual General Meeting for the 2011 year will be held on Sunday, March 4th at 2 p.m. in the Kinmount Community Centre. All members are urged to attend and have their voices heard.

Until next week...

## Possible webcam installation to be discussed in Dorset

### Notices



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Health Services**

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### NOTICE

The sixteenth Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Corporation (HHHS) will be held on Thursday, June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. in the Auditorium of the HHHS Minden Hospital & Hyland Crest.

2012-13 Membership in the HHHS Corporation is available to any individual who is a resident\* of, or who is employed or operates a business in, the County of Haliburton or in the Townships formerly known as Laxton, Digby and Longford, or Bexley or Somerville of Victoria County, or Cavendish and Galway of Peterborough County for a period of at least 12 months immediately prior to the payment of an annual membership fee of ten dollars (\$10).

Membership in the Corporation entitles an individual to vote at any general meeting of the Corporation. New members must register at least 60 days prior to the date of the meeting. Therefore, to be eligible to vote at the June 21, 2012 AGM, new memberships must be obtained by April 1, 2012. Members of the Corporation are also entitled to nominate Directors for election to the Board.

The fee may be paid and proof of membership obtained at HHHS, Haliburton or Minden Business Offices, during regular business hours, or by contacting:

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**Melissa Alfano**  
Dorset News

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The Township of Lake of Bays is hiring a full-time, youth intern. The township, along with Muskoka Futures and the Dorset Community Partnership Group, is now accepting applications from unemployed or underemployed youth under the age of 30 who have graduated with a diploma or post-secondary institution within the last three years. The intern will conduct research on the business needs in Lake of Bays and research the business climate and economic conditions for business develop-

ment and entrepreneurship in Muskoka. More information can be found on at [www.lakeofbays.on.ca/job\\_postings.htm](http://www.lakeofbays.on.ca/job_postings.htm).

Time is running out to offer your support to the Dorset website, [dorsetcanada.com](http://dorsetcanada.com). The site is an information service for residents, cottagers and tourists and includes a business directory and information about area services and attractions. It's run by volunteers, but there is cost involved in maintaining and enhancing the site. To offset costs, businesses can purchase a sponsorship for \$25 per year. \$25 will provide a link to a website or e-mail address. For a \$300 sponsorship a business can obtain a link, logo and write up about your company. Sponsorship forms can be picked up at the Dorset Remax office, at Avery Audio, Robinson's General Store or by contacting Laila at 705-766-0047 or email [laila1@sympatico.ca](mailto:laila1@sympatico.ca). The deadline to submit is February 29.

The next Dorset Community Partnership meeting is on March 5 at the Dorset Seniors' Centre starting at 7 p.m. and all are encouraged to attend. Some items on the agenda will be the nurse practitioner's station, the old school property development, possible webcam installation for live streaming to the website and more. Hope to see you there!



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# Take a hand in mid-week jam band

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The Mid-Week Power Jam hand drumming session on Wednesdays has a new low price of \$5 to participate! All are welcome and drums are provided. The Power Jam takes place on Wednesdays from 11:15 to noon. For more information or to sign up, call the recreation centre at 705-766-9968.

Are you a person age 55 or over and looking to cast off the winter blues? The Dorset Lions Club wants you to come to a complimentary dinner at the Dorset Recreation Centre on Wednesday, Feb. 22 at 6:30 p.m. Come out, eat a delicious dinner, have fun and socialize with old and new friends. Give Lion Esther Fortney a call at 705-766-2830 to make a reservation.

Dorset Book Club will be meeting at 1 p.m. at the Dorset branch of the Haliburton County Public Library in the Dorset Recreation Centre on Wednesday, March 7 to talk

about the book by Gregory Roberts called Shantaram.

The Dorset Community Choir will be meeting at the Dorset Recreation Centre on the first and third Monday of the month from 1:30 to 3 p.m. and all are welcome. To find out more, give Susan a call at 705-766-1973.

The recreation centre is now accepting debit and credit payments for rentals, memberships, Snowball souvenirs and more. The minimum transaction is \$5.

Birthday wishes for the week of Feb. 19 to 25 go out to Chris Clarke, John Keown and happy anniversary to Gail and Ted Hope. For all who have birthdays, anniversaries and special occasions this week, have fun on your special day!

To submit an item of interest or a birthday wish, please email me at melalfano@hotmail.com or give me a call at 705-766-0076.

# Society provides free wigs

Jenn Watt  
Editor

The Canadian Cancer Society does more than fund research, they provide transportation to appointments, information on the disease and free wigs and prostheses.

The society doesn't always get credit for the wide range of services it provides, local committee member Carol Stamp says, which limits patients' awareness of what is available to them.

"There's a lot more that the cancer society does for the community than just raise funds for research, but research is their prime focus. The majority of the funds go to research. This month, what we're trying to do is put the focus on one of the other things they do," she said in an interview.

One of those things is providing hats, wigs, pillows and prostheses for women undergoing cancer treatment through what the society calls a "comfort room."

Normally, the free items are provided through the Peterborough office, which serves Haliburton, but on Wednesday that room will be travelling to Minden to give locals easier access.

"You take [the product] home and use it

and if at the end of your process you don't need it anymore, if it's still in good condition, they will take it back. It's available and it's free. It's one other thing that cancer patients don't have to worry about," Stamp said.

The committee member knows how important having a head covering can be while undergoing chemotherapy.

In 2009, Stamp was diagnosed with ovarian cancer and spent about a year with very little hair on her head during treatment.

"You don't realize until it happens to you that when you don't have any hair, it makes your whole body cold. You can't get warm," she said.

During her course of chemo, Stamp wore coverings and hats made for her by friends and neighbours and said she didn't consider a wig because they were too pricey given the amount of time they would be used.

The wigs at the comfort room are free.

The cancer society will be setting up the room at Hyland Crest in Minden from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 22. You can also access the service if you are in Peterborough. For more information, you can call the Peterborough office at 1-800-463-0432; Stamp at 705-754-2168; or Elaine Anderson at 705-286-2898.

## Coming Events

# community calendar

What's happening in the County

Post your event for free on the web. Go to: [www.mindentimes.ca](http://www.mindentimes.ca) or

to the  *Haliburton Highlands* Community Calendar link at: [www.haliburtonecho.ca](http://www.haliburtonecho.ca)

**Jan 15-March 4th The Canadian Association for Disabled Skiing (CADS)** will run a low cost Sunday programme for children and adults who have any form of disability, ie. physical, social, visible. Age is no problem. A pre-programme registration is required. Our 2012 programme begins at Sir Sams January 15th at 9:30am. and concluded by 3pm. or when the student shows signs of fatigue. Volunteers with average skiing ability are welcome to participate in the programme. For more information call Terry Maher 705-457-9604

**Feb 21, & 28 Yoga at the Library** with Linda Shadbolt from 4-5p, in the Howard Roberts Room Admission by donation to the Friends of the Haliburton County Public Library

**Feb 18: Musical Variety Concert** at Maple Lake United Church at 7p.m. All Welcome Good will donation offerings Refreshments after

**Feb 21: St. Georges Anglican Church** 73rd Annual Pancake Supper 5-7pm at the Haliburton Legion Hall \$15 per family, \$5 per Adult. \$3.50 Children

**Feb 25: Royal Canadian Legion, Haliburton, Youth Public Speaking Competition.** Parents, family and the public are invited to attend the annual Public Speaking Competition at the Legion Hall, commencing at 1.00 PM on Saturday February 25th 2012, when students from all grades will compete by making short presentations of their choice. This is an enjoyable experience for all. Please support our youth in Haliburton.

**Feb 26: Your local Minden Volunteer Fire Department** is hosting their 8th Annual Fundraising Family Ice Fishing Tournament on February 26th 2012 just off of Deep Bay Road, on Pigeon Lake. We would love your support. This tournament has been our main fundraiser so that we can purchase equipment and items we feel will assist us in our duties. We all thank-you for your generous support!!!!

• **Haliburton Highlands Hand Weavers & Spinners Guild** meet at the Zion United Church, Carnarvon on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 1:30pm For more information call Marian Gillanders at 705-489-3574

• **TOASTMASTERS** meet at the Minden United Church Wednesdays at 7pm Everyone Welcome ages 18 – 80. What is TOASTMASTERS ? Visit [www.toastmasters.org](http://www.toastmasters.org)

• **Royal Canadian Legion Minden Branch 636** will be hosting a musical performance by The Kellett Family on Saturday, March 3 from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.. The afternoon includes 'Open Mic' time for anyone that want to take the stage and there will be meat draws with tickets purchased at the event. The public is invited to join us at the intersection of Hwy #35 and County Road #21.

• **The Royal Canadian Legion Minden Branch 636** is looking for volunteers to help out in the branch kitchen. If you can spare a few hours each week to help the Legion continue their support to the community and the membership please call the branch at 705-286-4541. It will be much appreciated.

• **SCENE/SEEN** in Haliburton: Rails End Gallery Members' Salon Exhibition Enjoy the "Haliburton scene" and check out this group exhibition in the salon style. Cast your vote for the Peoples Choice Award and see work by over 50 talented local artists in a wide range of media. Gallery hours Wed – Sat 11-5 23 York St. Haliburton Village [www.railsendgallery.com](http://www.railsendgallery.com) 457 2330

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**Please submit events by the Wednesday prior to the requested publication date.**

**NOTE: This calendar is not a comprehensive listing of all events taking place in the area.** Please check the classified pages, display advertising and articles appearing elsewhere in the Echo for more information on events in the Highlands. For more Ongoing Community Events please see the Weekender.





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Email – [abird@algonquinhighlands.ca](mailto:abird@algonquinhighlands.ca)  
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# Shirts and shades theme for dance



**Gina Atkinson**  
Stanhope Life

705-489-2008  
[pinereflections@sympatico.ca](mailto:pinereflections@sympatico.ca)

The longer I live up here the more there's the tendency to kiss the ground when I return from Toronto. Don't get me wrong, I love a trip to downtown Toronto now and then but the fun goes out of it for me when I can't find a place to park and when I have to drive city-style. The constant in

and out of lanes has me doing a silent meditation to stay calm and focused until I get to my destination. Since I am not an aggressive driver I have many times exited wrong and had to back track so therefore I always leave enough travel time.

Now here's the information I promised you last week regarding the upcoming dance March 10 at the Carnarvon Bowl and Restaurant. The theme is spring so we called it Shirts and Shades, which gives you and me the OK to dress in spring attire and pretend. The doors open at 8 p.m. with homemade appetizers being served; you can munch and browse our silent auction items while also catching up with friends.

We have DJ Jamie Bacon who will start the festivities at 9 p.m. with great dance music guaranteed to get you on your feet.

This is a fundraiser for Community Living Haliburton for additional money already set aside for a much needed vehicle so that the people Community Living serves will have transportation to and from their little jobs that give them big satisfaction.

We are charging \$10 a person which is going entirely to this fund raising campaign but if you have a little more to give it will be accepted. Of course! Other board members and I are busy collecting many door prizes so that we can brighten someone's evening – we all like to win something!

So there you have it, just let me also add that we are making additional food to layout besides the appetizers for you to enjoy – because we all like to eat!

So get your spring outfits out and you might not have to put them away afterwards because this winter isn't happening. If you need more information please call the Carnarvon Bowl and Restaurant or phone email me.

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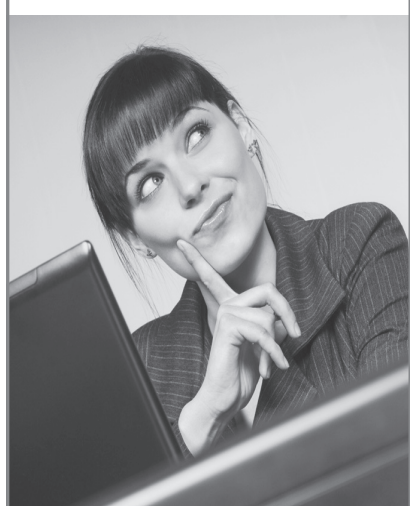
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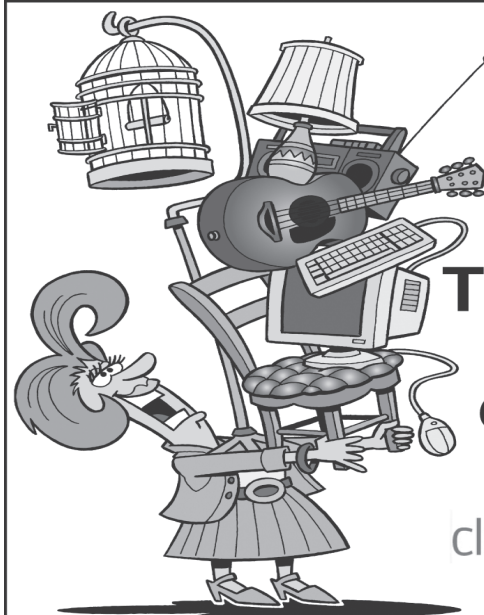
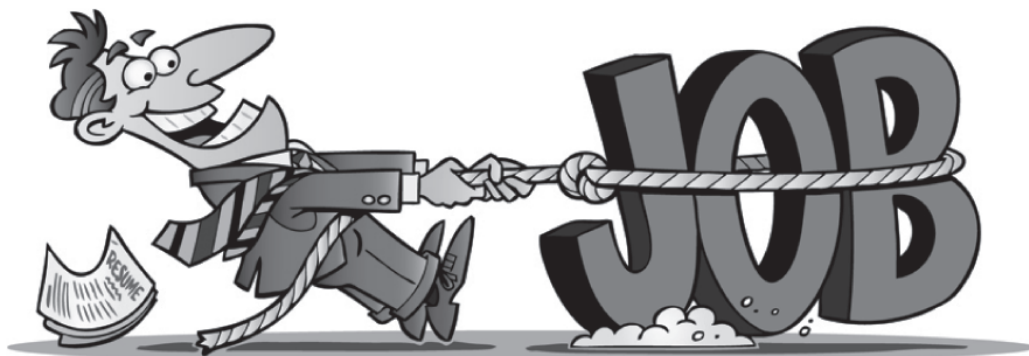
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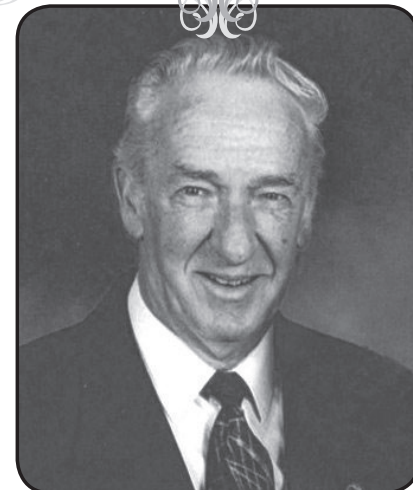
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## Deaths

**WALKER, Elsie** - Passed away peacefully at the Haliburton Hospital on Saturday, February 18, 2012 at the age of 91. Beloved wife of the late Lloyd, dear mother of June of Richmond Hill, Carole (Ron) of Minden, Brian of Edmonton and predeceased by Lionel and Kim. Loving Nannie to 7 grandchildren, 9 great grandchildren, and 3 great great grandchildren. Fondly remembered by her family and friends. It accordance to Elsie's wishes, cremation has taken place. A Private Family Service will be held in the Spring. Memorial Donations to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (H.H.H.S.F.) would be appreciated and can be arranged through the **GORDON A. MONK FUNERAL HOME LTD.**, P.O. Box 427, Minden K0M 2K0. www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com

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## Deaths



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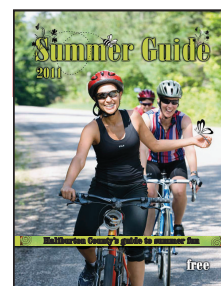
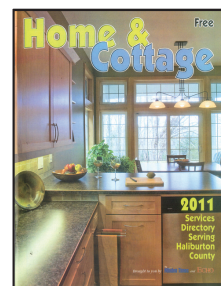
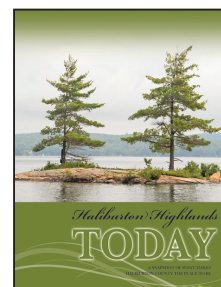
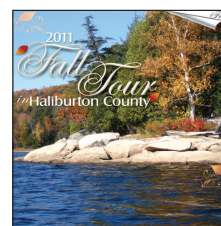
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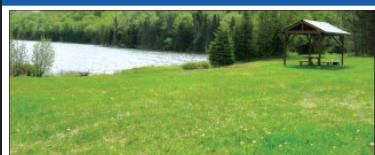
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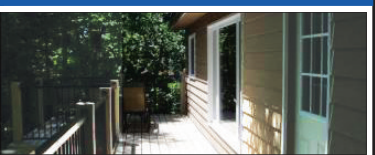
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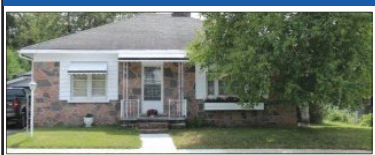
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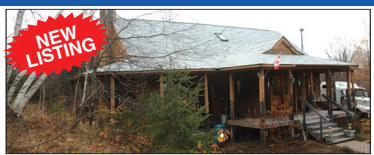
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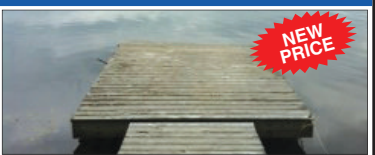
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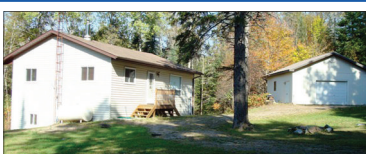
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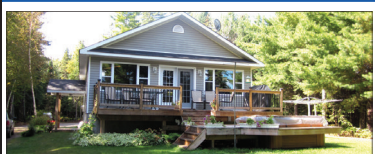
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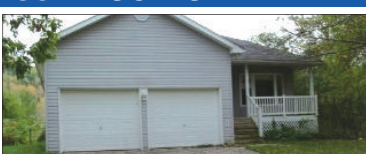
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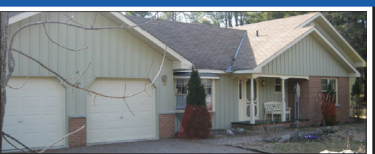
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**Beautiful Little Redstone Lake \$479,000**

- SW exp., 151' shoreline on .75 acre lot
- Approx 1200 sq ft with 3 BR, 1.5 bath,
- Winterized water, 4 season cottage
- Hardwood floors, newer appliances

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**Minden In-Town Home \$169,000**

- Good sized 4 BR family home
- Walking distance to all amenities
- Finished walk-out basement,
- Large deck and nice back yard.

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**Excellent Value! \$164,900**

- Corner lot
- 4 Bedrooms & 3 Bathrooms. Open concept design.
- Close to all Minden has to offer
- Great value family home

Karen Nimigon 457-2128 x 29



**Haliburton Home \$134,500**

- Close to town on 2.4 acres
- Many upgrades including windows, siding & ensuite
- 2 bdrms, 2 baths
- Great starter home

Andrea Wilson 457-2128 x 25



**A Home In The Country \$193,000**

- Country home, close to public access to Kushog Lake. • 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, open concept • newer windows, kitchen, flooring, and appliances • large level lot

Tom Wilkinson 286-2138 x 25



**Rural Setting Minden \$214,900**

- well appointed, tastefully decorated 2 + 1 BR
- cathedral ceilings, oak cabinetry & ceramics in the kitchen
- double detached garage new shingles in 2011
- 2.76 acres, pure privacy and a circular driveway

Denise LeBlanc 286-2138 x 23



**Scotch Line Road Home \$179,000**

- 2 Bedrooms + Family Room
- Full walk-out Basement
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**Miskwabi Lake \$199,900**

- Cottage with great deeded access to 2-lake chain.
- Open concept, 3BR, wood stove, basement, furnace.
- Great privacy, large deck, new dock at lake.
- Easy Municipal year round road access

Susanne James & Andy Mosher 457-2128 x 33



**Soyers Lake Sunsets! \$459,000**

- Sunset exposure, sand shoreline, 5 lake chain
- 3 bedroom all pine cottage with stone fp
- Comes fully equipped and ready to enjoy
- Many quality upgrades

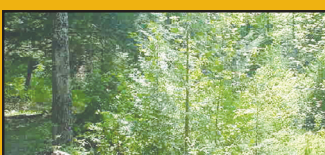
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**Shadow Lake Family Compound \$1,224,000**

- 2 year round, 4 bedroom, 2 bathroom homes
- Lakeside bunkie, sand beach with west exp
- Recreation hall, 3 bay garage, private setting
- totally turnkey, viewing by appointment only

Tom Ecclestone 286-2138 x 26



**2 Large Building Lots**

- Adjacent lots, level, nicely wooded
- Easy year round access, close to both Haliburton or Minden
- Over an acre offered at \$18,500
- Over 4 acres offered at \$29,800

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**Lakefront & Sunset View! \$72,000**

- Cedar Lake vacant waterfront lot
- 240 feet of water frontage
- Level lot with southwest exposure
- Easy year round access

Tom Gardner 286-2138 x 30



**Spacious Minden Lake Home \$349,000**

- Secluded, level lot, 260' of water frontage
- 1800 square feet with a full basement
- 3 large bedrooms, country kitchen
- Great views from living room and deck

Peter Franzen 286-2138 x 52



**Sir Sam's Home \$329,000**

- 2230 s.f. 3 BR, 2 bath home near Sir Sam's
- 2.76 private acres on Municipal Road
- Cathedral ceilings, pine plank flooring
- Minutes to boat launch, public beach, store & gas

Dagmar Boettcher 489-9968



**Anson Street \$146,000**

- 3 BR bung on a level lot walking to downtown
- New roof & windows '08 new ceramic and laminate throughout
- The kitchen/family/dining rms face the sunny south
- Great potential here priced to sell

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**2000' on Gull River \$479,000**

- 2900 sq' rmd pine log, 3 bdrm, 3 bath
- Floor to cathedral ceiling fireplace
- Handicap friendly, boat to 3 lakes
- 25 ac of mixed bush, trails, privacy

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**A Home in the Country \$279,900**

- Spacious Bungalow on 100 acres
- Very Private surrounded by crown land
- Large pond on property
- Attached single garaged and detached double

Erin Nicholls 457-2128 x 34



**Wenona Lake Deeded Access \$154,900**

- 2 bedroom 1 bath home on a pretty country lot
- Vinyl siding, metal roof, paved driveway,
- Master bedroom walkout to screened in porch
- Deeded access to beautiful Wenona Lake close by

Greg Stamp 457-2128 x 28



**Trooper Lake Cottage \$324,900**

- Waterfront Cottage - Southern Exposure
- 3 Bedrooms & Bunkie - Many upgrades
- n New Kitchen & New Roof In 2009
- Sandy Shoreline, all day sun... Come and See!

Elizabeth Thompson 457-2128 x 52



**5 Lake Chain! \$479,000**

- Waterfront home with easy year round access
- Full finished basement with w/o
- Maintenance free siding
- Amazing view and close to town

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**Brick Home \$259,000**

- Large brick home near Carnarvon on flat lot
- 3 bedrooms and 2 baths with hardwood
- Custom open concept kitchen with dining room
- Full finished basement with & attached garage

Lee Gauthier 489-9968



**Hwy 118 \$35,000**

- Handyman special or tear down. You decide!!
- 1.35 Acres
- Great location close to all major centers.

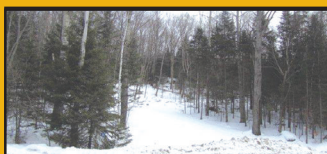
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**Blairhampton Rd. Vacant Lot \$39,000**

- Located between Minden and Haliburton.
- Year round municipal road.
- Very private well treed lot with good building sites
- Driveway in, hydro and telephone service at lot

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**Entrepreneurs Wanted! \$72,000**

- 2 Acre Property in High Traffic Area
- Picturesque setting, close to town
- Driveway & turn-around completed
- Commercial Highway zoning

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**3 Lake Chain! \$219,000**

- 3 bed, 4 season cottage on a 3 lake chain
- Level lot, easy year round access.
- Sand shoreline with large dock
- Partial basement with laundry facilities

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